PARIS PAPER ARRAYS EVI-DENCE OF INCENDIARISM.

Toreats Had Been Made to the Minister of Marine Wonderful Rescue of Men in the Wreck After Many Hours of Agony Theories as to the Explosion.

of Cable Desnatches to Tue Sus Dants Sept 26 - La Patrie prints to-day gracts from all telegrams regarding Liberté disaster and makes comnts tending to prove that the disaster as due to incendiarism on the part revolutionary anti-militarists who eatened the Minister of Marine at Brest ently upon the occasion of the launching of the battleship Jean Bart.

he paper says that the fire started he coal bunkers in four places at the extinguished they were started in The coal bunkers were pen to all of the crew, whereas the maganes were closely guarded.

A new version of the disaster attributes the cause to a fire which originated in the paint and oil shop on the battleship, which spread to the powder magazines. The erew were unable to flood the magazines in time owing to the defective working f the flooding apparatus which, however, was in working order ten minutes before. The inquiry which is being held is tryng to establish whether fire caused the xplosion or spontaneous deflagration f B powder caused the fire.

A story told by Cavaro de Kerforro who was the purser of the Liberté, supports the theory of deflagration. He was asleep in his cabin and was awakened, he says, by a rumbling sound twenty minutes before the final explosion. He lessed hurriedly and left his cabin. The passageway was thick with smoke chareteristic & B powder and thinking that the ship had been abandoned he returned to his cabin and jumped overboard through a port, as the smoke was too thick for him to go through the gangway.

As he was swimming away he heard the fire bugle call and swam back to the vessel. taking charge of his division of the fighters until the final explosion threw him overboard. He received a wound n the head and when it was dressed shore he returned to the wreck of the Liberté to help save the wounded.

night by the aid of electric light cutting away the armor plate with an acetylene plate early this morning they found ten

A rumor, which is backed by the enward over the after part of the ship

telegraphs that investigation reveals that the order calling for fire drill was not contingencies. given after the first explosion, when The failure is the third notable one watch awoke Lieut. Bignon, who then gave a year. the order for the fire drill.

The drill, however, was slow and ineffective because the explosion had damaged believed that the sailors were never able ceeded that in the present failure.

The Liberté is now a mass of twisted ridge of the battleship is still in place and from the bridge the officers direct he work of salvage

were thrown upon the decks of other battleships anchored in the harbor.

Torrion, Sept. 26 - It was discovered to-day that five men were still alive on the wreck of the battleship Liberté. sailor in a turret said that he was alone with fifteen corpses. All these men were rescued later.

capt. Jaurès, the commander of the wrecked battleship, has arrived at Toulon and visited the wreck. The second in command was on shore at the time of the disaster and the ship was in charge of Lieut. Bignon, who reports that the explosion occurred in the forward magazine, throwing the forward part of the protective deck backward over the after part of the ship, crushing sailors whose bodies may now be seen beneath the bent back deck.

Officials of the Ministry of Marine announced to-day that 204 men were killed in the disaster or were missing, 136 were seriously wounded and 48 slightly injured

After the first explosion on the Liberté Dr. Cristau, the surgeon of the Verité. was ordered to go to the Liberté. As he set his foot on the deck at the stern the final explosion occurred. The doctor's orn off. He was picked up and to-day

the Ministry of Marine refuses to give les have been officially advised. work of recovering bodies from

k of the Liberté was kept up all carrying a double magneto system ready of is still going on. Every hour for use. the remains of some victims were brought ashore. Fifty corpses can be bodies. Some are in an upright Il human resemblance.

man was found still alive jammed ween the armor plates. His body blackened from smoke and his legs held under a mass of wreckage. ig of workmen worked hard all day case him. Cocaine was injected into mbs to relieve his torture. He was est to dig him out of the debris. The temperature yesterday, as the annexed official thermometer, is shown in the annexed and night the man was released. aid that he had been imprisoned

reck to-day. At one point faint cries heard coming from deep within washington forecast for Jo-Day and tohoused to the men and laughed hole was made through the plating | winds

## PLOT TO DESTROY LIBERTE? Telephone 5 Spring THE MOROCCO-TRIPOLI TANGLE JOHNSON-WELLS SUMMONSES.

if you wish our representative to call of ticking, and full information about the

Ostermoor Mattress You will be under no obligations to buy. It is the mattress which at \$15.



had happened. They were told fifty times but were not able to understand. When the rescuers reached them they could neither stand nor see and could time and that as fast as the fires do little but moan. One said to a doctor at the hospital later that the world had

fallen in on them. "I don't know what happened afterward and I don't know now," he added. "I left \$10 in my kit; has that been rescued do vou know?"

If the number of deaths is less than was at first reported, the damage done to the battleships République and Democratic has been found greater than was at first thought. It will take at least three months to repair them.

A Paris press syndicate has opened a subscription for the benefit of the families 200,000 francs was received this afternoon.

t) find that orders issued by Admiral Bellue call for the landing of "all powder manufactured prior to 1902." They say that powder so old is necessarily of the utmost danger.

The theory that B powder was the cause of the explosion is accepted by Admiral Bellue and he has issued orders that all B powder be landed from the warships. The Government has ordered official mourning until October 15

### BANK OF EGYPT SHUTS UP, But Prospects Are Good for Depositors to Get Money in Full.

pecial Cable Despatch to THE SUN LONDON, Sept. 26.—Consternation and surprise were created in the city this morning when it was announced that the Bank of Egypt, situated on New Broad The harbor salvage corps worked all street, had suspended payment. It had been one of the most successful financial institutions operating in Egypt. boring apparatus. Under the armor year the bank declared a dividend of 14 per cent.

It was noted that in the last report of the bank \$1,000,000 had to be transferred gineer of the salvage crew, has it that the from the reserve account in order to write therté was blown up forward; the for- off bad investments of a speculative ward deck being bent 180 degrees back- nature which had been entered into by the late manager, Luzatta Pasha. The The special correspondent of the Presse money was taken from the reserve account, which is provided for just such

only the men on watch were awake. The among British banking institutions within The first was the collapse of the Charing Cross Bank of London, an institu-Many of the sailors had already jumped | tion whose heads were heavily interested overboard, but the remainder obeyed, in promotions in Gaspé, Province of Quebec. Canada. More recently came the financial troubles of the Birkbeck Bank the fire fighting apparatus. The men a British joint stock concern, which tried to work the mechanism that flooded threatened to inconvenience a number the magazines. This required seventeen of concerns of size and repute in the urns of the key shaft, but it did not turn | north of England. Theamounts involved easily and there was great delay, and it is in these two failures considerably ex-

The notice posted on the Bank of Egypt to-day said that recent advices from ron upon which 200 sailors are at work Egypt made it apparent that the bank rutting away the armor plate. There would be unable to provide sufficient cash s a huge floating derrick alongside hoist- to meet its current obligations. The di- precautions, the importance and extent ing the pieces as they are cut away. The rectors had therefore been forced to the of which have been unduly exaggerated conclusion that suspension could not be avoided.

The assets of the bank are placed at The force of the explosion on board \$10,000,000, which consist chiefly of money the Liberté was so great that many bodies lent in Egypt, much of which is rather tightly locked up. The liabilities are placed at \$7,500,000.

It is thought the depositors in the bank

The Bank of Egypt is not well known to New York interests having banking dealings in the Levant. There is no belief here that its position is a predominating one in Egyptian finance. The chief

### LORRIES FOR THE WAR OFFICE. Britain Subsidizes Auxiliary Motor Trucks in Case of Emergency.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, Sept. 26.—The War Office has issued a provisional scheme for subsidizing petrol motor lorries or gasolene motor trucks built since January 1. 1910, and owned by civilians. The vehicles are to be preempted by the Govhair and beard were burned and his clothes ernment only in case of a national emergency. The lorries are divided into again attending the wounded. A classes. One class must be able to carry ew days ago he was the doctor on the three tons at the rate of ten miles an hour, ruiser Gloire when a gun burst on that another class 3,000 pounds at the rate of

twelve miles an hour.

They will be subsidized for two years. the Ministry of Marine refuses to give the names of the victims until their the names of the victims until the name o

brought ashore. Fifty corpses can be Sept. 27.—High pressure covered all sections seen among the twisted masses of iron east of the Rocky Mountains yesterday and was and steel, but it is impossible as yet to attended by cooler weather east of the Missiseach them owing to the heaped up stpni and north of the Ohio Valley. It was from First Vice-President, Antonio Anguizola; 8 to 10 degrees above freezing in the more north- Second Vice-President, Juan Franco, and bodies. Some are in an upright ton, while others are distorted out human resemblance.

8 to 10 degrees above freezing in the more northern sections. Light to heavy frosts were respection, while others are distorted out the pressure was high on the Pacific coast, but relatively low over the plateau and Rocky Mountain States. It was warmer in the Rocky Mountain region and from Kansas northward.

Showers fell in the lake regions, northern New York and New England and at a few points in the northern Rocky Mountain States. There was no storm and the weather elsewhere was generally

storm in the early morning; cooler; wind, fresh to speak feebly Provisions were to brisk northwest; average humidity, 77 per od through to him and the men cent; barometer, corrected to read to sea level, aged in the work of rescue did their at 8 A. M., 30.01; 3 P. M., 30.05. The temperature yesterday, as recorded by the

> table:
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> 1911, 1910 1911, 1910
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> 9 A. M. 65° 65° 6 P. M. 67° 74°
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> 12 M. 68° 73° 9 P. M. 63° 71°
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> 3 P. M. 70° 80° 12 Mid. 63° 69°
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> Highest temperature, 74°, at 12 noon. 9 A. M. 12 M 3 P. M

For eastern New York, fair to-day; to morrou shoulded to the men and laughed increasing cloudiness and warmer, probably showers any while they were at work. The in the northern part; moderate east to southeast

midday, when food and cordials absed in to the men inside. imprisoned men were helpless with

s they lay in total darkness. All For the District of Columbia, eastern Pennstuaned and fainting from the sylvania. New Jersey. Delaware and Maryland fair to day; to morrow unsettled and warmer light to moderate east and southeast winds. of the Liberte. During the hours light to moderate east and southeast winds. or western New York, fair and somewhat their rescue was effected there warmer to day; showers to night; te-morro monotonous moan for help and probably fair, with moderate southerly winds.

(any time, day or evening) with samples GERMANY REJECTS FRENCH PROPOSALS, PARIS HEARS.

> taly Trying to Put Turkey in the Wrong Aggressions on Her Citizens in North Africa Alleged Committee of tnion and Progress Will Resist.

Special Cable Despatches to THE SUN. PARIS, Sept. 26 .- La Liberté prints pessimistic Berlin despatches concerning the Morocco negotiations, in which it is declared that Germany does not accept the delay will be required in order to submit questions from the men, who asked what the French text to a special technical commission. It is further declared that a counter German text is to be expected. Rumors are in circulation here that the

> The Turkish Ambassador, Rifaat Pasha, was merely a visit of courtesy.

Italian fleet has sailed for Tripoli.

Rifage Pasha said he was not able to earn anything regarding the intentions of Italy. He added that nothing had enabled Turkey to foresee Italy's aggression in Tripoli, which was a vital member of the Ottoman Empire. Should Italy's threats become acts Turkey would not hesitate to defend the existence of Tripoli as one of its provinces, he said.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept.26. - The Italian of the victims of the Liberté disaster and Chargé d'Affaires has notified the Turkish Government that Italy protests most Naval officers and others are astounded energetically against fanaticism in Tripoli, which is exposing Italians to danger.

The Charge presented a note to the Turkish Foreign Office announcing that any despatch of Turkish military transports to Tripoli would be regarded by Italy as a serious action.

The note, according to the best information, demands guarantees of the Porte against the recurrence of the events complained of, including threats against Italian residents and the boycott of Italian goods. Such guarantees, it may safely pe credited, in the eyes of the Italian Government consist in the establishment of some kind of Italian protectorate over the province, possibly with the maintenance of Turkish suzerainty.

The idea that Italy is drawing back does not seem to be entertained anywhere, but there is a disposition to think that she will recognize the inevitable and come to

VIENNA, Sept. 28. - Austria has refused Turkey's demand that she intervene in the Tripoli dispute.

Judging that Italy will not listen to any proposition and that Turkey has decided to resist an ultimatum, Greece is delighted at the prospects of a flareup. In this city, however, hopes of finding some means of changing the tone of the Turkish press are entertained in political and diplomatic circles. The efforts of the Porte to prevent an awkward incident are thought to show that Turkey realizes the hopelessness of armed opposition.

Telegrams from Salonica say that there is great excitement in Committee of Union and Progress circles and that the rejection of Italian demands is considered a question of life and death

LONDON, Sept. 26. THE SUN'S Rome lespatches filed at 7:20 P. M. say that news of Italy's warlike preparations are withheld and strictly censored lest they be misinterpreted as imminent action. which is not contemplated, since an amicable solution is hoped for in spite of Turkey's strut

Italy will not take positive action unless the lives of her subjects are threatened The preparations are said to be mere by a sensational press.

The attempts of anti-militarists to prooke strikes at Rome and in the provinces have failed because of the patriotism of the population. Only a few laborers struck in obedience to the leaders. The Government's prohibition of the open air s of little importance.

The majority of the newspapers deplore and ridicule the unpatriotic attempts of

he anti-militarists It was said at the Turkish Embassy'this afternoon that the absence of official news and the tenor of certain private communications indicated that the relations between Italy and the Porte were less strained than they were twenty-four

hours ago. ROME, Sept. 26 .- The Socialists came out to-day with a declaration to the effect that a general strike will be declared in Italy within twenty-four hours as a protest against the Italian move on Tripoli.

The movement seems to have no support from public opinion. This failure s generally credited to Turkey's appeal o foreign embassies

Despatches from Tripoli say that half of the Italian colony have left and the re maining members are in constant danger Despatches from Constantinople say that there has been a large exodus of Italians in consequence of the intimation of the Porte that they would be held as hostages in case of hostilities.

### AGAINST AROSEMENA. Panama Assembly Picks Officers Who Are Hostile to the President.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. PANAMA, Sept. 26.—The National Asembly, which by a recent decree of President Arosemena was convened in special session for fifteen days, met vesterday afternoon. All the twenty-eight nembers were present. The election of officers resulted in the following selections: President, Guillermo Andreve; Secretary, Adolfo Aleman.

These men are all opposed to the Administration and their election showed that there was an Opposition majority in the House. This is the first time on record when the Government was in a minority in the Assembly. The same members elected Senor Arosemena President in 1910.

After the election of officers the President's message was read. It refers particularly to the legislation necessary in regard to the construction of the Panama and David Railroad. The President also asks the Assembly to consider legislation which will recruit the ranks of canal laborers and anything else which the Executive may submit during the short session.

The galleries of the chamber were filled with an enthusiastic crowd.

FREAK TOUR OF FRANCE. Paul Sencier Travels 3,000 Miles in All Sorts of Conveyances.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUS

PARIS, Sept. 26. - Paul Sencier, who has peen trying for a record trip around France using all known modes of locomotion, arrived back here to day. He covered 3,000 miles in 141 hours 51 minutes and 45 3-5 seconds. The rate was about 21 miles an hour.

British Authorities Move to Stop the Big Boxing Match.

Special Cable Despatch to THE S LONDON, Sept. 26. Richard D. Muir Counsel to the Treasury, appeared in the Bow street police court this morning and talked with the Magistrate. Then sum monses were issued for James White, the promoter of the fight scheduled for next Monday at Earl's Court; for Jack Johnson and Bombardier Wells, the pugilists; for Jenkins, one of the managers, and one other person. The summonses

Home Secretary Churchill has given French text of the agreement and that it as his opinion that the proposed fight would be illegal and the action to-day was taken with a view to preventing the managers from carrying out their in tention of giving the "exhibition." Johnson was served with a summons at

are returnable on Friday.

his training quarters at the Forest Hotel. Clingford, to-day just as he had finished has returned to his post. He called on a seven round tryout and was lying upon the Italian Ambassador, Signor Tittoni, a table being massaged. A detective and afterward said to the Temps that it sergeant from Scotland Yard knocked on the door. "Come in." called Johnson. "I know

who you are or you might have had a rough time." The detective explained that as Johnso had expedited service he would give him

time to consult a solicitor. "That is very good of you, but I an going to plead my own case," said Johnson with a smile that showed his glittering molars.

The summons was read and Johnson accepted service while he was being rubbed and oiled.

WONT TAKE M. P.'S PAY. Wolverhampton Fears Local Dissension: Bird Must Keep Cash.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN LONDON, Sept. 26.-The municipal auhorities at Wolverhampton have declined the offer of Alfred Frederick Bird. M. P., to turn over to them his salary as a member of the House of Commons on the ground that its acceptance might cause local dissensions that might better be avoided.

### . Irish Strike Fizzling Out.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN CORK, Sept. 26. The strike of the Irish ailwaymen is fizzling out. The men are returning to work and traffic has been opened again on the Kerry and Queenstown branches.

FOR PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY. Senator Cummins Wants Iowa Delegates

Chosen by State Election. DES MOINES, Ia., Sept. 26.- That the plan for holding a Presidential primary in Iowa next spring is feasible at no greater expense than attends the present caucus and convention system is the belief of Senator Albert B. Cummins.

"I am heartily in favor of the plan," he said to-day. "The plan proposed is a good one to settle the Presidential controversy in Iowa. I earnestly hope that it will be adopted.

it will be adopted.
"I am sure that all Republicans would accept the decision of a primary and work together to carry out the desire of the majority, according to the result of the election. I think it ought to be held early. It will greatly strengthen the Republican party in this Stateif we can select our candidates for Senator and State our candidates for Senator and State officers undisturbed by any difficulties of opinion concerning delegates to the National Convention."

### R. R. STRIKERS ENJOINED. Court Prohibits Picketing by Illinois Central Clerks.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Sept. 26 .- The United States Circuit Court to-night issued an injunction against the striking Illinois entral Railroad clerks prohibiting them from picketing or otherwise interfering with the operation of the railway company. The offices of the court were kept the writ.

This and an attack upon a range of clerk who did not go out with the strikers constituted the chief strike incidents of the day. There still is fear that the walkent will extend to the Southern Pacific This and an attack upon a railway

deal with the situation.

Illinois Central freight business was almost at a standstill to-day and it was only after great efforts that men could be found to care for two cargoes of bananas and other perishable freight.

### CUSTOM TAILORS STRIKE. About 1.800 Out and Many More Are Expected to Quit.

In response to the order for a general strike of the custom tailors to force the employers to renew the agreement which expired on the fifteenth of this month 600 tailors went on strike yesterday in the uptown shops and stores, 700 in the down-town district and 500 in Brooklyn. There are 9,000 custom tailors in the city, of whom 7,000 are organized as Locals 162 and 210 of the United Garment Workers of America. It was said that the strike order applies to the union as well as the on-union workers

Edward Feller, general organizer of the union, said he expects that about 7,000 custom tailors will be on strike before to-morrow night. The strike order was to-morrow night. sent to the shops and stores at 3 o'clock P. M., and a large number of the workers wanted to finish the garments they had on hand before they quit work

Finds Moving Picture License Law Unreasonable.

Supreme Court Justice Gavegan held yesterday that the law requiring candi-dates for examination for licenses to operdates for examination for licenses to operate moving picture machines to serve a six months apprenticeship under a licensed operator first is invalid. He said that the conditions are unreasonable and unnecessary and granted a writ of mandamus directing Commissioner Thompson of the Department of Electricity to let Louis Gibelman, the applicant, take an examination.

# Pennsylvania R. R.

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Leave Hudson Terminal September 28, 8:22 and 11:10 A. M. Returning, trains leaving Trenton 4.57 and 7.05 P. M. will stop at Fair Grounds on Fair

Special Trains will leave Fair Grounds, Sep-tember 27, 4:40 and 5:45 P. M.; September 28, 4:40, 5:45, and 6:15 P. M. Consult Ticket Agents.

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Passenger Carrying for Altitude Passenger Changing Race Cross Country Race for Bi-Planes General Admission \$1.00

Good Seats. Reserved Grand Stand Seats Parking Space Private Automobile "Boxes" \$12.00 Ticket Office, 337 5th Ave. (cor. 354 St.), 'phone 5982 Madison Square, or Tyson's, McBride's and any of the leading ticket offices and hotels.

## 'SNEAK,' SAYS IVINS OF GAYNOR

MAYOR CAPABLE? HE'S CAPA-BLE OF ANYTHING.

More Sharp Criticism by the Draughtsman of One Charter at a Meeting to Protest Against the Present Measure Prendergast and McAneny Protest.

Last night's mass meeting in Cooper Union, called as a protest against the passage of the new charter by the Legislature. was marked by an acid attack on the Mayor by William M. Ivins, who once drew up a charter himself. Mr. Ivins called the Mayor a "sneak" and also used the word "lie." He said:

"I should call this charter a member of the chameleon family because of its peculiar faculty of protective coloration. In six months it has changed its color at least seven times. I should say that for rapidity of protective coloration the alleged mind of our minority Mayor has

never had its equal. "He was invited here to-night to take part in this meeting as any other gentleman might have been invited, and it was his duty to have been here or at least to have given some reason for not coming. Whatever he is, he is not a gentleman. He returned that letter unanswered. He sent it to the chairman of this meeting (J. Aspinwall Hodge), who has been gracious enough to say nothing labout it, but that was not the act of a gentleman,

it was the act of a sneak. "To my mind Mayor Gaynor is the cleverest writer of English in the United States, but when his directness and simplicity is made the slave of slyness, cunning and casuistry, then the instrument which was so tremendously effective in the hands of John Bunyan becomes an instrument of unspeakable danger. His instrument of unspeakable danger. His statement of to-day that 'these people,' meaning the men who called this mass meeting, had said that he was going to be here to-night was not an evasion; it was a lie. This charter which he calls 'perfect' is the personification of the imperfect. If Mr. Gaynor by this charter can secure a reversal of the last city election so as to give him course of the treetion so as to give him control of the traffic situation he will be satisfied. If it doesn't —well, whether or not the Mayor will veto it the Lord only knows.

"I have personally known every Mayor of New York for the last forty years," said Mr. Ivins later on in his speech. "and I do not hesitate for a moment to say that, all in all, Mr. Gaynor is the most capable

all in all, Mr. Gaynor is the most capable Mayor that we have ever had. In fact I believe him capable of anything."

When Mr. Ivins finished a gray haired man who said he was John S. Coffey, a historical writer, got up and shouted that the Mayor had been "wantonly insulted." but instantly there was such an uproar that Mr. Coffey could not go on and Mr. Ivins, who tried to answer him, also had to quit. The meeting broke up right there. quit. The meeting broke up right there. Coffey said later that while the hullabaloo was in progress he had denounced Mr. Ivins as a "defeated, discomfited, disgruntled and discredited aspirant for the Mayorality."

President George McAneny, Comptroller Prendergast and Mr. Hodge. Resolutions which were adopted asking the Legislature not to pass the charter were sent

which were adopted asking the Legislature not to pass the charter were sent after the meeting to Gov. Dix. Senator Cullen of the Senate Cities Committee and Assemblyman Foley of the Assembly Cities Committee. A copy was also sent to Mayor Gaynor by Charles H. Strong, president of the City Club.

Mr. Hodge called for a charter embodied in the State Constitution, so the Legislature cannot change it, or else a constitutional provision that the city can make its own charter. Mr. McAneny said the charter in its present form was a "ruin," whereas the charter that New York ought to have should be a model for all cities.

"The Mayor's veto power over rapid transit was cut out in response to public opinion," said Mr. McAneny, "but who knows to-night what has been left in or put in. I, who have studied charters, could not tell unless I had studied the draft for a week. What civic body stands for it except those who have a personal interest?"

Comptroller Prendergast had just begun

Comptroller Prendergast had just begun talking when informed by The Sun of Borough President Gresser's removal. "The next thing for the Governor to shouted the Comptroller, "is to re the Legislature at Albany. hove the Legislature at Albany." Cheers.] Mayor Gaynor before he left the City

Hall yesterday gave out a statement in which he said: hich he said:
"The statement of these people that I am to speak at the meeting is like many of their statements. I am not to be at their meeting. I am at work to-day help-ing as much as I can in the final revision

DENIAL BY LIEUT. SMITH. says Stories of Charges Under Which He Quit Navy Were Distorted.

of the charter, which is now about to pass

NILES, Mich., Sept. 26.-Lieut. Royal C Smith, U. S. N., lately attached to the Saratoga, is in Niles at the home of his Regarding his recent resignation from

the navy Lieut. Smith says he expects to go to Washington soon and will endeavor o present his case with the view of se curing at least an honorable discharge Lieut. Smith said:

"So many conjectures and reports having been published regarding my resignation I wish to assure my friends that the
reports have been largely distorted.

"Charges of conduct unbecoming an
officer and gentleman were made against
me by several enjisted men of the Sarame by several enlisted men of the Sara loga against whom I had at various tim nade reports requiring disciplinary ac "These charges did not involve women

nor were they of the Admiral Barry type as has been insinuated. In general they referred to conversations supposed to have taken place between me and these mer ndividually, there being in no case any witnesses.
"As soon as I was informed of the charge

As soon as I was informed of the charge I asked for a court of inquiry to investigate the matter and denied the charges under oath. This made it a question of one man's word against another.

"I will simply add that my resignation was not demanded by my brother officers, all of whom stood by me loyally, and I believe that this injury will avent all. believe that this injury will eventually be righted."

## Women Are Flocking to **Our Glove Counters!**

## where the greatest sale of women's long and short gloves is now in progress

The briefest possible description of this sale is this: It is an offering of thousands of pairs of the newest glovewear, in black, white, and all the season's modish colorings, both in long dress and short tailor walking gloves, marked at sharp concessions from regular prices.

Thousands of pairs of these gloves have already been sold, but several thousands remain, and if you come in today or tomorrow, we can offer you an extensive assortment to choose from. The rate of depletion, however, is such that we cannot promise anything after that. Values like these do not wait long to be absorbed. In the interest of economy just read on a minute:

Women's Finest French Kid Gloves, 20-button length, plain filet one row back, especially made for full dress wear, being almost shoulder length. All white. 

Women's Finest French Real Kid Gloves, 16-button length, in white 

Women's Long Gloves, real kid, 12 buttons. Perfect in every detail. Made of fine quality kid and the equal of any 3.00 glove on the 

Women's Pique Sewa Gloves, imported; in all the new fall color-ings. One-clasp style. Spear-point back. In black, white, tan, mode, gray, or champagne; also, white or champagne, stitched with black, and black stitched with white. 

Women's Pique Sewn Gloves, made of fine imported lambskin, medium weight. All the new Fall colorings, such as tan, mode, brown, slate, biscuit, ox blood, navy blue, green, black or white. Paris point or plain cord back. Regularly 1.25 and 1.50 ..... Now 95c.

Women's Finest Real Kid Glace Gloves, with heavy three-row embroidered backs; in white, champagne or tan, and the dollar quality 

## Apparel for the Chauffeur at Saks'

There is as much difference between the chauffeur and the driver of the average vehicle as there is between an automobile and the other vehicles of traffic. The chauffeur is in a class by himself. He is elevated by the affluence of those he serves.

And if there is one thing required of a chauffeur. and one thing a chauffeur himself requires of his tailor, it is distinctiveness in his clothes. Durability of fabric is not hard to get, but individuality and fit are totally different matters. So much so that we long ago decided that the only way to put style and character into chauffeurs' garments was to make them ourselves.

The overcoats and suits produced by our Auto Apparel Department this Fall are pre-eminently the first for fit and style, workmanship and durability. and they are the most reasonably priced chauffeurs' clothes—all things considered—by long odds.

Chauffeurs' Overcoats, in box cloths, whipcords. serges and worsteds. Button-to-neck or convertible collar models. Ample skirt effect for comfort and convenience. Very swagger. 33.50 to 75.00

Chauffeurs' Suits, two pair of trousers, in pleated button-to-neck model, Norfolk, semi-Norfolk and plain effects. Made of whipcord, serges, box 25.00 to 75.00 cloths and worsteds.

## One pair trousers. Saks & Company

Chauffeurs' Suits, worsteds or whipcords.

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MUST ELECT THIS YEAR. Decision Compelling a Choice of Successor

to the Late Justice Fielder.

han, who had been appointed by Mayor Gaynor to fill the vacancy, would hold on until the close of that year. The Republican managers, who expect to carry the district, started a legal fight

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The decision of Supreme Court Justice Jaycox in Brooklyn that there must be an election this year for Municipal District Justice in the Sixth district to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Justice Fielder on August 8 was sustained yesterday by the Appellate Division. Justice Burr, who writes the opinion of the latter tribunal, holds that Municipal Court Justices are District Court Justices within the meaning of the Constitution, and Justices Jenks. Thomas, Carr and Woodward, his associates, concurring the fall of 1913 and that William S. Strana-han to the Court of Appeals.

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